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STATUS

2.	Applicant	
		claims small entity status.
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EXTENSION OF TERM

3.	The proceedings her apply.	rein are for a patent app		ons of 37 C.F.R. 1.136					
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		first month	\$ 120.00	\$ 60.00					
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		third month	\$ 1,020.00	\$ 510.00					
		fourth month	\$1,590.00	\$ 795.00					
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If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor.									
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An extension of months has already been secured. The fee paid therefor \$ is deducted from the total fee due for the total months of extension now requested.									
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	OR								
	(b) X Applicant believes that no extension of term is required. However, this conditional petition is being made to provide for the possibility that applicant has inadvertently overlooked the need for a petition for extension of time.								

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In response to the Office Action mailed January 12, 2006, please amend this Application as follows: